

UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re: Application of: Peter BOER and Robert Kupper
Serial No.: To be Assigned
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For: **PREPARATION OF TRIAZOSPIRO COMPOUNDS**

LETTER RE: PRIORITY

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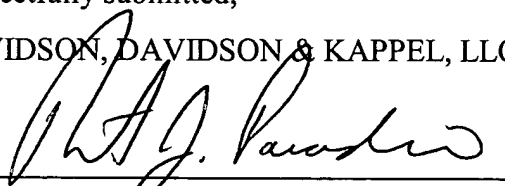
Sir:

Applicant hereby claims priority from U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. 60/421,347 filed October 25, 2002, the disclosure of which is hereby incorporated by reference in its entirety.

Respectfully submitted,

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